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CITY OFFICIAL PAPER

NO. 41

## Organize Chamber of Commerce

### \$26,940 Contract Is Let For Sonoma School Improvements

## Passenger Dropped Dead On Northwestern Pacific Train

### C. C. BEAN TO START GRAMMAR SCHOOL WORK

**Lowest Bidder for Improvements  
Authorized by Bond Issue of \$25,000  
Several Months Ago.**

C. C. Bean, the Sonoma contractor, was lowest bidder on the new work to be done at the Sonoma Grammar School and was awarded the contract on Friday of last week. His figure was \$26,940, or about \$3000 cheaper than the highest bidder on the job.

The improvement was authorized by a \$25,000 bond issue voted by the people of the district some months ago when the crowded condition of the class rooms and need for a larger auditorium became apparent. Plans providing for four more class rooms call for the erection of two wings to the present structure and a balcony in the assembly hall. The additions will be of brick construction and conform to the present fine building.

A new heating plant for the entire building has also been figured in the contract. The work, which is to be completed within 130 days, will start immediately.

### SONOMA PAGEANT PLAYERS ATTENTION

Will all the adults, including Indian bodys and maidens, who took part in the Mission Play last summer, come to the Woman's Club House at 7:30 p. m., Monday, June 2nd?

The Sonoma Valley Woman's Club has been asked to portray California's history at the Redwood Pageant to be given by the County Federation of Woman's Clubs, in Armstrong Grove on September 1st, and it is the intention of the local committee to reproduce a short sketch of our Mission Play. Come and renew acquaintances and also help a good cause.

### VISITED FRIENDS IN SCHELLVILLE

Miss Alice Kearney, Madam Duprey of Piedmont and Miss Emily Kearney motored to Schellville Wednesday and visited friends there. Miss Alice is private secretary for Madam Duprey and has been enjoying her vacation in the Valley of the Moon.

### VALENTE SELLS THE ELITE CAFE

Jep Valente has sold his soft drink parlor to Ham Chambers of Boyes Springs, who also conducts the refreshment stand at Boyes bath house.

Mr. Chambers plans a number of improvements at the popular Sonoma stand. He will remodel the front, put in a large root beer barrel, and a complete line of refreshing beverages.

Mr. and Mrs. Chambers are well known in this valley and to the traveling public for courteous treatment of patrons and good booster spirit.

Mr. Valente sold the business on account of his growing auto bus trade and also to devote attention to his new responsibilities as city trustee, to which office he was recently elected by a flattering vote.

### A Poor Fish Story and the Man Of It

A pretty little Sonoma wife, bobbed hair and all, though you couldn't call her a "flapper" had an accident with her pet gold fish this week. The fish flopped on the floor, when the bowl broke, and the flapper fled to hubby in tears and asked him what to do about the poor fish. Hubby looked thoughtful about his wife's dilemma and finally answered, manfully, "Why feed it to the cat." Tears and more tears, but that was the man of it.

### CHARLES POTTER SEVERELY INJURED

**Buck Rake Drops On Him, Inflicting  
Deep Wound In Hip as He Was  
Repairing Implement.**

Charles Potter of Schellville, while working on a big implement known as a buck rake at his ranch, was badly injured when the catch on the machine suddenly slipped, letting the rake fall on him.

One of the long sharp teeth of the implement struck his body near the hip, inflicting a downward wound 11 inches in depth and impeding him so firmly to the cruel prong that he had to be pulled off of it by those who rushed to his assistance when it was realized what had happened.

Dr. Thomson was immediately summoned and has been fighting any appearance of blood poisoning. Potter has been confined to his home with a drain tube in his hip and will be laid up for some time to come.

He was engaged in harvesting the grain and hay from his 500 acre ranch at the time of the accident and his illness at this season will work considerable hardship on him. His son, David, came up from Vallejo, and will remain during the haying season in order to assist in the harvest.

The injured man is a member of a pioneer Sonoma Valley family and prominent in church and fraternal circles here.

### WARNING IS GIVEN ON FIRE MENACES

Co-operating with Fire Chief Jep Valente of the Sonoma Volunteer Fire Department, Deputy State Fire Warden Schumaker was in town Wednesday looking over the situation here and inspecting premises in order to cut down the danger of conflagration.

Several menaces were found to exist and at least four Sonoma property owners and tenants given notice to clean up. The fire warden will return and complete investigation of the local situation. Thirty days are allowed to comply with the orders of the fire authorities, after which proceedings will be started against property owners.

Upper Lake had a disastrous \$100,000 fire in its business district this week, the spread of which was due largely to dry grass, rubbish and neglected outhouses.

### New Organization Is Perfected; J. P. Serres Elected President and Directors Named

Sonoma Valley has re-organized its Chamber of Commerce. Monday evening at Rosenthal's hall, there was a meeting of the Valley of the Moon organization, with President T. H. Corcoran in the chair. The business of re-organization was promptly taken up after the meeting had been called to order, and the following directors were selected: M. Y. Hansen, S. Rosenthal, J. P. Serres, M. M. Daubin, James Kearney, Albert Elliot W. L. Murphy.

The meeting took a recess for 10 minutes for the purpose of a conference of the directors, who named the following officers to preside over the future activities of the body:

J. P. Serres, president.  
W. L. Murphy, vice president.  
Albert Elliot, secretary.  
M. Y. Hansen, treasurer.  
A committee was appointed to im-

mediately revise the by-laws, the secretary being advised to get a copy of the by-laws of other Chambers as a guide.

Mr. Weiss, the resort proprietor, asked that Secretary Elliot be instructed to write to the highway contractors in regard to getting the road now under construction sprinkled. It was so ordered.

The new Chamber of Commerce takes the place of the defunct organization incorporated a few years ago and its revitalization comes as a result of problems such as fire protection, road matters, the need of a hospital, publicity and fostering of local industries.

The new officers and directors are for the most part prominent residents of the Springs section, President J. P. Serres being of Agua Caliente and one of the leading farmers of that district.

### LITTLE DANCERS ARE VAUDEVILLE FEATURE

A week from tonight Miss Alfreda Smith will present her singing and dancing kiddies in a revue which will be the feature of the vaudeville show.



MISS ALFREDA SMITH

and dance to be given at Union Hall by the young impresario.

An old fashioned garden scene will be the stage setting for the revue and there will be solo and chorus dancing by a dozen or more children of Sonoma Valley, trained by the clever Boyes Springs girl.

Dancing will follow the show, with the Merry Makers Jazz Band furnishing the music. John Steiner, Jr., popular Sonoma young man, will be in charge of the floor.

### ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING OF INCUBATOR BACKERS

At a well attended meeting in the Woman's Club House Monday night men and women interested in the possibilities and future of the Kitchen Brothers incubator heard Mervyn R. Dowd of the company tell of the splendid reception the new hatching devices and patents were given in the Middle West by experienced and nationally known manufacturers of incubators who acknowledged that the Sonoma discovery would ultimately revolutionize the entire poultry industry. A letter of endorsement from the president of the American Poultry School of Kansas City, Mo. whom Dowd had acquainted with the new machine and its features, was read. It stated that the Kitchen system of ventilation was superior to anything ever before available and would be given publicity among the thousands of readers of the magazine issued by the poultry school for the betterment of the industry and success of those now engaged in it.

Dowd thoroughly reviewed the success of his trip on behalf of the incubator and detailed his experiences at the big plants of Old Trusty, X-Ray, Ideal, and the Hoffman Utilities Corporation, where hard-headed business men acknowledged the merits of the Kitchen patents and had asked for further demonstration of the new methods of incubating as perfected in Sonoma. There was no doubt, declared Mr. Dowd, that immense business possibilities await the organization to be perfected to make and sell the Kitchen Brothers' devices. He urged immediate action, that the balance of money required to build and equip a factory in Sonoma be forthcoming. Local men were advised to get together at once and put over the drive for funds to assure the industry to Sonoma. Dowd stressed the need of organization, not only for this one thing which means so much to the community's future, but for other things such as hospital, cannery, road projects, etc. A payroll, however, he (Continued on Page Four)

### It Pays To Persist And To Advertise

We all acknowledge that it pays to advertise, but it remained for B. Schrempff to demonstrate that it pays to persist in advertising. The Vineburg farmer had a Delco lighting plant which he no longer needed. He advertised the Delco in the Index-Tribune. For over a year Mr. Schrempff kept his ad before the public. Last week a lady San Francisco subscriber to the Index-Tribune came to her home here and decided she'd look at the Delco plant. She bought it. The Index-Tribune delivers the goods.

### DIVORCE SUIT SAVORS OF SCANDAL

**State Highway Attache Alleged to  
Frequent Company of Contractor  
Building Road Here.**

J. B. Galbraith of the contracting firm of Galbraith & Jones, which is engaged in road work in Sonoma Valley, is named as co-respondent in a divorce suit filed in Santa Rosa by Cleveland G. Fitch against Myrtle G. Fitch.

According to Fitch, his wife conducts a mess camp for the highway workers and she often remains away in the company of Galbraith on the pretense that she is going to San Francisco to visit relatives. He also declares he has reason to believe that Galbraith furnished money with which his wife recently purchased a roadster and that they have frequently met at lonely spots where they remained until late hours in the morning.

Fitch asks custody of the child and half of the community property. E. L. Webber of Napa is his attorney.

### CONSIDERS BUILDING TEMPORARY DEPOT

The Northwestern Pacific Railroad Company which has been considering the erection of a temporary depot at Boyes Springs, will hold plans in abeyance for 30 days, in hope that the permanent structure can go up in conformity with the hotel plans.

### INJURED AT FIRE ON SCHWEITZER RANCH

Tom Ryan, superintendent of the Schweitzer ranch, had the misfortune to be thrown from a wagon during the progress of a fire at the ranch on Monday. His shoulder was broken and he will be laid up for some time.

Ryan was hauling water to assist fire fighters who were combating flames which swept the grain field. His team bolted, throwing him to the ground.

A big stack of hay and about 15 acres of stubble were burned over. A spark from the bailing outfit is said to have started the fire.

The fire departments of Sonoma and Boyes Springs responded to the S. O. S. and aided in extinguishing the flames, which menaced the historic and beautiful property, once the home of Granville Swift.

### CHARLES C. BECKER OF SAN FRANCISCO DIED WHILE ON TRIP

**Hospital Employee Succumbed to  
Heart Failure While Enroute Home  
From Glen Ellen.**

Charles C. Becker, a San Francisco man who had been employed at the Mount Zion Hospital and was up here Monday visiting at Glen Ellen, died on the train while enroute home on the afternoon Northwestern Pacific train.

Becker seemed fatigued after running to catch the train at Glen Ellen and as the train crew neared Agua Caliente they saw that their passenger had collapsed.

Dr. A. M. Thomson was telephoned for and met the train when it reached here, but Becker was pronounced dead.

Coroner Frank H. Phillips held an inquest on Thursday night, and the jury brought in a verdict of death from natural causes.

Deceased is said to have a half-brother in San Francisco, but as yet Becker's remains are unclaimed at the morgue here.

### HARVEY TOY HERE OVER WEEK-END

State Highway Commissioner Toy was here last Saturday, prior to leaving for New Mexico, where he will attend the annual convention of the United States Good Roads Association. Toy viewed with satisfaction the splendid progress on the Schellville-Kenwood highway work as being carried along by Engineer Sams. The header-boards have been laid along Broadway and from the westerly city limits up the valley, and concrete will shortly be poured. The completion of the state highway work in Sonoma Valley is eagerly awaited, not only by our local people, but by the hundreds of travelers who love this historic and beautiful locality.

### SONOMA HAY CROP VALUABLE THIS YEAR

The hay crop in Sonoma Valley this year is about 65 per cent and prices will be good. The yield is far ahead of many other localities, although Sonoma suffered from lack of rainfall as did most of California. Farmers will receive from \$16 to \$20 per ton for their hay.

### ATTENDED BERKELEY WEDDING THURSDAY

Mrs. H. Appleton and daughter, Mrs. Burlingame, attended the wedding of Miss Lois Appleton, daughter of Will Appletons, Thursday in Berkeley. The bride, a belle of the college town, was married to E. LeBaron of the well known and wealthy Valley Ford family.

The groom represents the Blue and Gold milk, manufactured by the LeBaron interests, and goes North the coming week on an extensive trip, which will also be the honeymoon of the newlyweds.



# HIPPODROME THEATRE

WEEK COMMENCING JUNE 1st

SUNDAY

ANNA O. NILSSON in

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—SPECIAL—

Sunday Night, June 1st, Paramount Pictures Corporation Presents  
**AGNES AYRES** in "THE HEART RAIDER"  
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—SPECIAL—

Wednesday and Thursday Nights, June 4th and 5th, Metro Presents  
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# EL VERANO NEWS

By ARCHIBALD McKIVER

The San Francisco Bulletin is now running a series of essays entitled "If I Had But a Year to Live," and in a recent issue of that paper the following, written by an Oakland man appeared:

"If I had but one more year to live And sure that was the end, I would go to some free country Where my money I could spend. I would get myself half liquored up, On whisky, wine and beer, And make it a point to stay that way For the balance of the year."

Rumor has it that an old warhorse is going to throw his hat in the supervisory ring. If he does, colts, look out!

Followers of boxing are much interested in the bout to staged today, May 31st, in Michigan City, Ind., when Georges Carpentier, French idol and Tom Gibbons, one of America's most foremost boxers and fighters, square off in that city, the match to go ten rounds. This is an international fight and will be watched closely throughout the world. Both gladiators have met and been defeated by our American champ, Jack Dempsey; Carpentier being defeated via the knock out route in four rounds, while Gibbons stood with Dempsey, by his wonderful boxing for 15 rounds, the champion getting the decision. Tommie is not as good with a man of his own weight, as he would be with a larger opponent. The size-up of both men in today's battle should favor Gibbons to win from the French boxer, although strange things happen in pugilism. Carpentier will try hard to win today, as it will set him right with American fight fans, he having recently knocked over a big Englishman in France. The men will weigh in at about 180 pounds and if Gibbons scores on the visitor, he will

likely get another chance at Dempsey's crown. It is expected that 50,000 persons will be at the ringside when the referee signals the men to the center of the ring. Edward Dickerson will referee the contest.

E. F. Kiessling, author of Cupid's Book, arrived from Oakland on the Friday evening train, enroute to his summer home at Boyes Springs.

William Cummings, traveling passenger and freight agent for the N. W. P. Company, boarded the S. P. Bullet Sunday evening for Santa Rosa, having spent the day at Sonoma with relatives.

The grand opening ball given by George Feters, well known owner of Feters Springs, drew a large crowd of valley and San Francisco visitors last Saturday evening. Perkins' jazz band kept the crowd in high spirits and on Sunday at the bath house the dancers continued to enjoy the good time—bathing, high diving, swimming and other amusements.

Fred Jensen, Jr., and Miss M. Vincent, bookkeeper for Haas Brothers, San Francisco, were married in that city last week. Mr. Jensen is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jensen of El Verano, and the happy newlyweds were here Sunday, spending the day at the Jensen home and receiving the congratulations of their many El Verano friends. They will make their home in San Francisco, where Mr. Jensen has a fine position.

Road Master Hart of the S. P. Company was being shown over the road recently by Section Foreman Jim Harrington of Schellville.

Excitement was intense here Saturday afternoon when the team of Kearney's lumber yard ran away with a wagon heavily loaded with lumber. Starting from the yard, the snorting steeds made their way over the S. P. tracks, leaving the lumber along the road and narrowly escaping a collision with the downcoming freight train. A collision with Batto & Sons' auto truck was averted by the clever work of Chauffeur Al Groskopf, who leaped from his car and gave chase, closely followed by Manager Bill Bomhoff, Joe Garont, and Nick Dowdall. Groskopf overtook the runaway steeds as they were turning near the El Verano Villa toward Sonoma Vista. No damage was done, and Teamster Nick Dowdall soon had the wagon reloaded and was on his way.

Dr. and Mrs. Fred O. Butler left Eldridge Sunday afternoon for San Francisco, enroute to Washington, D. C., where Butler has been designated by Governor Richardson to represent California at the national convention for the care and study of the feeble minded. Dr. and Mrs. Butler expect to be absent for six months. The convention in Washington will last two weeks.

Mrs. J. M. Thomas and friends of San Francisco were Sunday visitors at their El Verano cottage.

Sheriff John Boyes passed through El Verano last week, having in custody Paulu Phelps, charged with embezzling funds of the American Express Company at Valley Ford. The absconder was arrested in Seattle after a search of three years for him.

Mrs. A. Swenson and aunt, Mrs. Swain, of Mexico, have returned after a pleasant visit in San Francisco.

M. F. Mullen, S. P. pensioner, made a trip to Vallejo Sunday returning the same day.

Mrs. Pauline Hays and Mrs. Carrie Burlingame of Sonoma were auto visitors in El Verano last week.

The summer season has arrived and our hotels have many guests. El Verano will be a busy center during the vacation time. We noticed in our esteemed Schellville friend's letter last week a warning to the writer not to fall for the summer fairies. We would reply that as yet they are rather scarce and guess we'll be able to make the Leap Year grade. Twenty years ago Archie McKiver and the popular scribe at Schellville used to cack walk around at the El Verano Villa. They were the good old days. And do you remember those old time hay rides? Easy Jim was a star as a black-face comedian in those good old times.

On last Saturday morning, the nerviest man on earth flagged the local S. P. flyer at Boyes Springs station. As that is a flag station, the engineer obeyed orders and brought his train

to a stop, whereupon the supposed passenger informed the train crew he did not wish to board the train, that he only had a letter which he wished to mail. The entire train crew stated that never before had they witnessed such a thing, and predict that this man will have no trouble getting by in this world, or any other.

Joe Revie has been appointed an assistant fire warden in Sonoma Valley, the appointment coming through the State Fire Commission.

Mrs. H. Lordeaux, after a several days' visit with Vallejo relatives, has returned to her Verano home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Main of San Francisco arrived at Verano Saturday and will spend the summer months. Mr. Main will open a gasoline service station on the state highway corner at that place.

Harvey M. Toy, chairman of the State Highway Commission, accompanied by his family, was a week end visitor at his summer home in Sonoma Vista, before leaving for Queensborough, North Carolina, to attend (Continued on Page Seven)

## Miss Alfreda Smith

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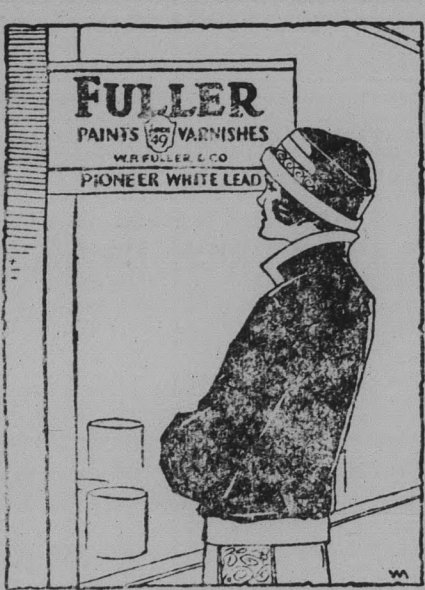
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## MANY INMATES AT

## SONOMA STATE HOME

At the Sonoma State Home at Eldridge there were on May 1st, of this year, 1759 patients, 39 more than normal capacity. The increase in the num-

ber of patients during the past year Mrs. Emile Andrieux of Summit, at this institution has been 125, 66 of who has been quite ill with the flu the increase being accounted for by and under the care of a Truckee doctor, females, of whom there are now 858, tor, is now convalescent. Her mother, Mrs. John Steiner, has had the news that her daughter is now improving daily.

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## OFFICIAL RECORDS—CLASS WINNERS

CLASS	CAR	DRIVER	MILES TO THE GALLON
1A	Overland, Model 91	R. Bonaccini	28.03
2A	Overland, Model 92	Joe Bozzani	29.36
3A	Oakland Sedan	A. L. Peterson	18.18
4A	Kissel	H. L. Nicholson	21.05
5A	McFarlan Six	V. V. Hilliard	14.16
Closed Car	Oakland Sedan	A. L. Peterson	18.18

### Overland, Model 92, Wins 1924 Sweepstakes

The car using the least gasoline, regardless of classification, was the Overland, Model 92, which made the entire run on 13-5/8 gallons of "Red Crown," averaging 29.36 miles to the gallon. Zerolene was the oil used. The Willys-Knight won second place, averaging 23.53 miles to the gallon of "Red Crown," and the Gardner took third place, averaging 28.08 miles to the gallon of "Red Crown."

These mileage records are all the more remarkable for the new ruling which barred coasting out of gear to save gasoline.

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(California)

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### ZEROLENE BRINGS IN SIX OF THE NINE WINNERS

Six of the cars winning trophies in the Los Angeles-Camp Curry Yosemite Economy Run used Zerolene: The Overland, Model 92, winner of first place in the Sweepstakes and Class 2-A; the Overland, Model 91, winner of Class 1-A; the Oakland sedan, winner in Class 3-A and "Closed Car"—and the Kissel, winner in Class 4-A.

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For the eighth consecutive year "Red Crown" was the only gasoline used in this sensational power and mileage test. The reason for this unanimous choice is shown by the remarkable records printed here. Since the motor fuel was exactly the same gasoline as the public uses—is there any reason why "Red Crown" won't develop more power and better mileage in your car as well?

And as for oil, when Zerolene brings in six of the nine winners, won't it pay you to use Zerolene—a better oil—even if it does cost less?

### SHOULD GRASP THIS OPPORTUNITY

Sonoma people have the finest opportunity to give our valley a factory with a payroll and assure an industry which will not only increase local property values, but actually put the community on the map. The opportunity is that presented by the new incubator patents recently acquired from local inventors and demonstrated to be the greatest hatchery discovery of the age.

In addition to the tangible phase of this investment is the fact that it is to be a Sonoma concern of the sort that has succeeded big wherever established. Faith in the invention and faith in Sonoma Valley and California should assure the establishment of the factory here. If you own Sonoma Valley property, help subscribe the amount necessary to put the incubator project over. Other investments which may be dubious can be strengthened by participation in this local enterprise. If you are an investor, here is an opportunity for yourself and your community.

### THIS KIND OF PUBLICITY UNNECESSARY

The San Francisco Bulletin, in a recent issue, criticized Sonoma's method of enforcing motor laws and the Santa Rosa Press Democrat hands us the following editorial wallop:

"The town of Sonoma is reported to be arresting automobilists wholesale for violation of its speed laws. Wholesale arrests for offenses of this character usually means that someone is more interested in collecting fines than in stopping speeding. Where such is the case it creates bad feeling which in turn reflects upon business men and institutions in the community. Consequently it is a mistake, and most towns are coming to realize it. It was a long time ago that some wise man remarked, 'It is easier to catch flies with sugar than with vinegar.' But the saying is as true today as it was when first uttered.

"Courteous treatment of the automobilist as a class, even in the case of offenders, is the tendency today, and motorists are beginning to demand it. That is what they should do. There is no reason whatever why a respectable, law-abiding citizen should be brow-beaten and humiliated by some rough-neck speed cop who happens temporarily to be wearing a few brass buttons, just because he has unintentionally violated speed regulations without doing any harm or endangering anyone. Nine-tenths of the arrests made in the smaller towns of the West come in this class. It is wrong policy to allow it. The other way is best."

Automobilists have nothing to fear if they will keep within the law when they cross Sonoma's threshold. However, in addition to signs extending a welcome to our city, we would suggest that signs stating that speed laws are strictly enforced in Sonoma would be timely and effective. After a fair warning, if speeders speed, then let our speed cops go after them.

Over-zealousness on the part of officers is to be discouraged and public safety the only consideration. The matter of piling up fines to enrich the city treasury is short-sighted business policy, because if the traveling public gets the impression that we have speed cops for that purpose, the most conservative driver will fear to come here and as a result automobilists will give the town a wide berth.

Detective skill need not be offensive to be efficient. Good judgment in enforcing all laws and catching offenders is what the people of this and every community has a right to expect from their officers.

### RICHARDSON HOLDS HIS GROUND

Governor Richardson, in a recent address at Long Beach, declared that he had kept faith with the people

there who first launched his gubernatorial campaign in the belief that he could and would reduce public expenditure without crippling a single helpful and necessary function of the State. He recited his personal participation in various departments and declared that he made the trip South every month to keep in touch with the conduct of State affairs there as well as in this part of California. He has first-hand knowledge of the business of California and has been attending to it.

The speech at Long Beach was the first time he had taken the trouble to justify his administration. The ringing applause and evident satisfaction of his big audience attests the approval of Southern California in the Richardson policies.

The Governor might easily stop the mouths of some of his critics by giving them their way, or keeping them and their satellites on some soft job, but he expressed himself as being opposed to any compromises with politicians who would thwart the wishes of the people to reduce taxes and spend the State money purposefully instead of politically.

### MORE POWER TO THEM

We are pleased to note that the matter of fire protection is still uppermost in the minds of Sonoma Valley residents. The meeting called to

discuss problems such as district protection and responsibility for it is timely. Everyone should share in the responsibility and maintain an efficient fire department, otherwise it is penny wise and pound foolish to improve property and build pretty new homes. Let us not lock the doors after the fire has been stolen. Clamp the lid on the fire demon before he rears his head, that we may be ever spared another conflagration such as swept the valley last September. More power to the gentlemen who are working out fire protection and districting the valley into areas where responsibility can be fixed and exacted.

At the ranch of Mr. Salmina recently a picnic was enjoyed by over 100 people. A very good time was enjoyed among the pine and cedar trees, music and dancing being features of the day. Mrs. C. Nechellin was visiting her daughter, Mrs. Salmina, at her Lake county ranch, and took in the party.

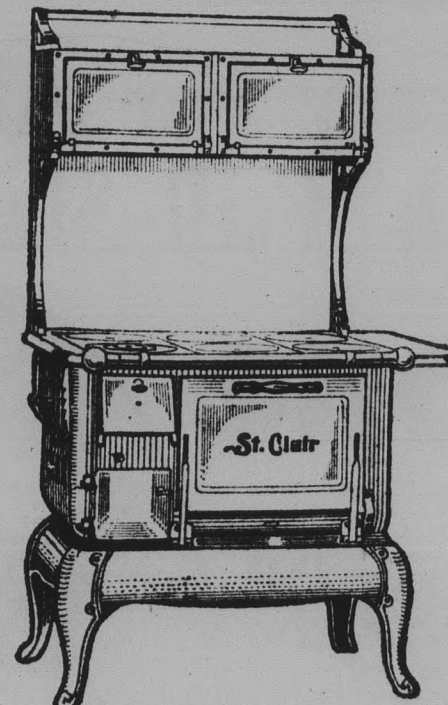
Orville Hose, local newspaper man, who has been undergoing treatment at Berkeley each week, is improving and is now able to discard his crutches. His physician promises that he will soon be able to get around with but one cane.

Miss Rose Pagani, local bank teller and social favorite, is among the recent converts to the fashionable shingle bob, which is quite becoming.

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Clarence E. Peck, formerly of the Champlin ranch, who has been filling the position of Grammar School principal at Vallejo for the past year, has been unanimously elected principal of the Vallejo High School which will be good news to his Sonoma Valley friends.

Mr. Peck married Miss Eva Frasier, former Sonoma resident, who is a sister of the late Maude Frasier Champlin.

**LAMBERT BUYS STORE  
AT FETTERS SPRINGS**

L. F. Lambert, local druggist and business man, has purchased the Midway Grocery Store at Feters Springs. Mr. Lambert will restock it and also handle drug sundries. He formerly had a store at Boyes Springs, but was burned out the time of the big fire last fall.

The Midway Store was purchased from John Briller.

**PYTHIAN KNIGHTS  
BUY MORE LAND HERE**

The Grand Lodge of Knights of Pythias in session in Oakland last week, voted to purchase another section of land to add to the 111 acres dedicated on Tuesday of last week at the Pythian Home.

The deal includes 136 acres owned by Wallace L. Ware of Santa Rosa, for which \$22,500 will be paid. The lodge also agrees to purchase 593 acres on the mountain back of the valley land, paying \$10 an acre for the same, the option price, from G. A. Proctor of Santa Rosa.

With the purchase of the 136 acres the Grand Lodge's holdings of valley land runs to the Hutchinson ranch near Santa Rosa, thus giving it a half mile frontage on the state highway. This land will be the site for a number of new buildings which are to be erected, and is a most valuable addition for building sites.

The purchase of the additional tracts yesterday gives the Knights of Pythias ownership of 840 acres of the famous old Los Guilicos Rancho in the Valley of the Moon, which is regarded as the most ideal location in all California for the purpose for which it has been secured.

Mr. Ware still owns the vineyard and the pasture land across the road from the Pythian holdings and there he intends to erect a home or himself.

**STEVE AKERS****SON INJURED**

Two San Francisco men, occupying a large touring car, and laden with nine barrels of wine, crashed into a machine driven by Paxton Akers, son of Superintendent of Streets Stephen Akers of Petaluma, on the sharp curve on the Petaluma-San Rafael highway Sunday night at 10 o'clock, upsetting the car and injuring the occupants. The driver of the liquor laden car could not control the machine, which went crashing through a fence, landing in a ditch, a total wreck. The driver gave his name as J. Rodvieux, 224 Ellis street, San Francisco. Soon after the accident the two men disappeared leaving their car and cargo in the ditch.

**ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING  
OF INCUBATORS BACKERS**

(Continued from Page One)

declared, was the greatest thing of all to be encouraged and worked out and he recalled the success of small incubator beginnings in the East, which grew like magic into immense business concerns employing hundreds of men. Not one incubator had the merits of the Kitchen Brothers' invention, yet they succeeded and were paying big dividends, said the speaker.

Other speakers were Attorney A. R. Grinstead, Professor Stenquist, A. W. Adler, Ray Kitchen, Rev. Crowe and S. A. Robinson.

Mr. Grinstead declared that Sonoma must have factories and opportunities not only to attract new families, but to hold those who are now here, many of whom need opportunity for wage earning and will eventually go where such opportunities exist. He expressed faith in the success of the incubator enterprise, but said, of course, it was a matter of investment and chance, not a sure thing, and investors must so regard it. It had, however, all the earmarks of splendid opportunity to realize good returns and he was backing his faith by subscribing to it, he said.

Professor Stenquist declared that one good investment was worth a lifetime of toil and recalled the experience of Henry Ford and other inventors who had uphill work to interest money in their ventures. He said that diversified farming had brought poultry raising to the fore and that the incubator demand was keen and widespread. The success and growth of incubator plants in the Middle West had been witnessed by the speaker and he strongly urged action to assure the launching of the enterprise in Sonoma.

Ray Kitchen told of the results of the test hatches in Petaluma and of the encouragement and praise the new incubator ideas had called forth from the most skeptical hatcherymen. He pointed to the orders already received and being filled as evidence of the faith of big hatcheries in the invention.

Rev. Crowe pointed out the need for factories to give employment to local people and attract newcomers.

George Crowe urged that sentiment evidently favorable to the enterprise be crystallized into action and that local capital wake up and respond to the greatest opportunity which has ever come to Sonoma.

S. A. Robinson brought up the question of business methods to be pursued in the matter of organization and the sale of stock. He declared the public was interested in this angle of the incubator proposition. Mr. Dowd explained that the money to be raised was \$25,000, after which the company would be incorporated for \$100,000. The money subscribed would go directly into the factory dollar for dollar, but when stock was issued, 50 per cent would go to the patentees and organizers of the company, the other 50 per cent being held by the purchasers of stock. He explained that it was a procedure and arrangement better than the professional promoter would have offered, and that the patents were being acquired at a price so reasonable that it offset any promotion cost. He declared that the men back of the incubator enterprise were not walking Christmas trees, handing out investments with guarantees, but that they did offer unusual opportunity to develop industry and realize returns on their investment.

Asked by Mr. Robinson to name men prominent in the fostering of the enterprise he referred him to Messrs. Batto, Heggie, Clewe, Bundschu, Adler and other local business people interested in its success.

A. F. Hopke, retired capitalist and property owner of Sonoma Valley, has recently returned from San Francisco where he has been under the treatment of eminent specialists. He is slowly regaining his strength in our beautiful climate and sunshine.

It is rumored that Steve Griffith, formerly of the Palace Garage, will open up a new oil station at Boyes Springs in connection with Ryan's livery stable there.

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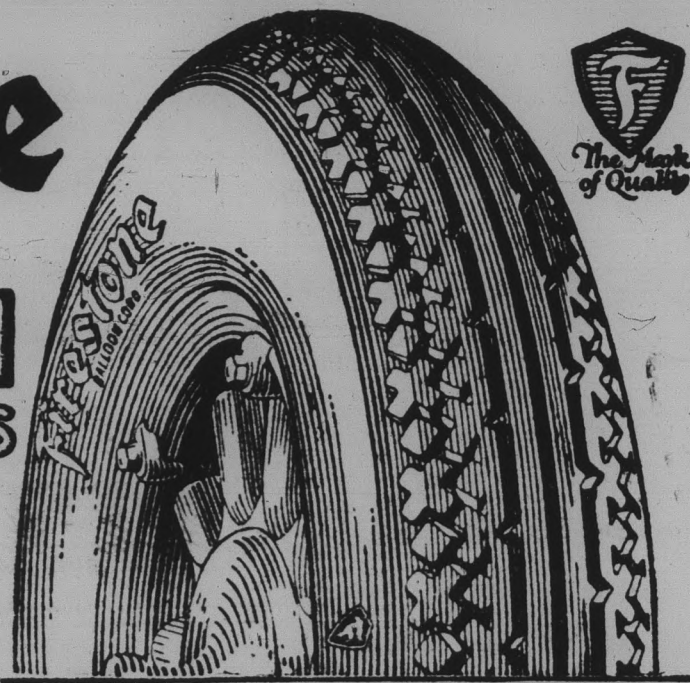
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### MAY EXHIBIT AT SONOMA SCHOOLS

The May exhibits this year at the High School won the praise of all who saw the splendid work of the various classes. The art poster work, mechanical drawing, etc., showed talent and clever training. The sewing and dressmaking exhibit reflected credit on this department.

Among the agricultural showings were fruits and grain grown by the young pupils, the berries and products of George Dolcini being particularly commendable.

Prize ribbons went to many students for their excellence in various departments.

Thursday evening a program was presented prior to the exhibit, and the patrons of the school had an opportunity to judge the musical, dramatic and declamatory ability of the students. The High School orchestra showed marked improvement and won much applause. A one-act play presented by Anna Noyes, Myrtle Douglas and Sam Steiman proved a clever vehicle.

Among those who participated in the elocution demonstration were Eva Schieck, Tony Souza, Nevada Schell and Evelyn Cordell.

Roy Wirtz, president of the Student Body, had special honors conferred upon him for all around excellence.

Norman Heggie took Shakespearean honors.

Wednesday at the Sonoma Grammar School was a gala day for the annual exhibit and second play day of the school was on the calendar, and both proved very successful.

In the forenoon classes were conducted as usual, with the addition in Miss Newman's second grade of a play, "Hansel and Gretel" which was cleverly produced by the children.

At noon a picnic lunch was enjoyed followed by the exhibit of school work in the auditorium, and play day recreation on the grounds. Many nearby districts participated including Huiehica, San Luis, Tule Vista, Wamough, El Verano and others.

The exhibit was a decided credit to teachers and pupils of Sonoma's school. The assembly hall walls were decked with work from various departments.

The big day was praised by all who participated, and gave great satisfaction to visiting officials, including Miss Green and Miss Towle of Santa Rosa.

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### SCHELLVILLE NEWS

The San Luis School closed on Thursday and Miss Cora Adams and her pupils enjoyed an ice cream party. The following pupils graduated from the eighth grade: Johnny Guilfoyle, Ernest Semino, Hannah Steiman and Gerna Semino.

Miss Hattie Dutton expects to depart today for St. Helena for several weeks' visit with friends.

F. Hall is making many improvements on his ranch. His young orchard is coming along nicely.

James Tate and family passed through here Sunday enroute to San Francisco to spend the day with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Beckman entertained a large party of Oakland relatives Sunday. While here they called on the William Church family.

Stewart Potter arrived in Imperial Valley this week, where he is employed hauling ice into refrigerator cars. How would you like to be the ice man?

Ed Stone of San Francisco spent the week end with his family here.

Miss Hettie Voight has been here for a few weeks and plans to remain for the summer at her country home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Millerick and son are spending a few weeks at Tanforan and other attractive places in San Mateo county.

Tony Neuman made a business trip to Vallejo and Napa Friday.

Miss Victoria Marcucci was a week end guest of Miss Katherine Keiser, and on Sunday the Marcucci and Keiser families motored to Sears Point, Petaluma and Santa Rosa.

The Jolly Twelve Club and invited guests numbering 45, enjoyed their annual picnic at the White Sulphur Springs. Some of the men took keen interest in barn yard golf and proved to be good players. Dancing, hiking and swimming was also enjoyed by the happy crowd, to say nothing of five gallons of ice cream.

Mrs. K. Steiman has been in San Francisco visiting her daughter, Mrs. S. Shainsky.

O. Sabin of Santa Rosa, formerly of Schellville, was a business visitor here Tuesday.

William Church and children were among the theatre-goers to Napa on Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Ricketts and children of Oakland are here, the guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. William Church.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bonneau, who for 14 years were engaged in the hardware business in San Francisco, entertained a large company of city friends Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Meyer enjoyed a visit from Petaluma friends Sunday. A few little friends from the San Luis School helped Della Mae Pauli celebrate her sixth birthday on Friday, May 23rd. The little hostess served delicious refreshments and the children enjoyed a pleasant time.

Miss Matilda Bonneau left Friday for a vacation with San Francisco relatives. She is visiting one of her aunts, who leaves on June 1st for Europe.

Born, in San Francisco, on May 26th, a baby girl to Mr. and Mrs. Sam Shainsky, nee Helen Steiman. Mother and babe are doing nicely.

Mrs. J. Hanley entertained her two sons and five of their boy friends on Sunday. They think Sonoma Valley the only place.

Howard Knight is shipping good cherries to San Francisco.

Billy Helberg is busy in this section buying up fruit for the Williams Fruit Company.

Mrs. E. Steiger and Miss Evelyn accompanied Mrs. Joe Keiser on a motor trip to Lakeville and Black Point Monday.

Charles Potter is getting along nicely from his recent accident, owing to the care he is getting from his good nurse, Mrs. Potter, and his doctor.

Charles Potter has received word from Congressman Lea that he, and Mrs. Lea expect to be here again by June 20th.

A. Picchi, well known member of the firm of Picchi & Chelini, Sonoma merchants, transacted business in Santa Rosa the first of the week.

Good Eats, all ready, alright, at Batto's Sonoma Store.—adv.

## Save Water

The State Board of Forestry and State Fire Marshals' Bureau warns that water must be conserved.

We have been requested by the above to ask everyone and especially our consumers, to save water.

See that you have no leaky plumbing fixtures or faucets. Any waste of water through the unnecessary water-

ing of gardens is to be discouraged.  
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Mrs. Kate Griffith and daughter, Miss Nancy, are planning to return to San Francisco, where a splendid position awaits the young lady, who is a graduate of a prominent business college of the metropolis. They have been spending some time of their pretty bungalow on Riverside Drive.

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## Editor Writes From Southern California

Riverside, Cal., May 18, 1924. an organ recital and vocal music. Last Friday evening on the Sunset Limited. We left San Francisco at 5 o'clock. There were about 80 editors and their ladies in our party, including Governor and Mrs. Richardson. Enroute a number of other newspaper folks joined the congenial crowd on its annual excursion. We all wore our badges "California Press Association Thirty-Sixth Annual Excursion."

After viewing our wonderful state from the platform of the observation car until quite late, we retired to our Pullman, and put in the usual night on a sleeping car—rather sleepless but pleasant withal, for at intervals I awoke and looked out over the country, including the Tehachapi ascent. Early in the morning we were at Ventura with its beautiful surf and coast line, many cottages along the beach and an occasional auto camp.

By 8 o'clock we arrived in Los Angeles, where we were met by a committee of Southern California editors and given a complimentary breakfast. An electric train with special cars was awaiting us and after sampling some of the South's best oranges and other good things, we boarded the flyer for our destination here at Riverside, The Mission Inn. Much nicely improved country was passed through by us on the way here and I was rather agreeably surprised at the mountains and hills in the background. We even saw a bit of snow in a recess of a tall peak. The orange groves in blossom and hanging with the golden fruit and a lot of young vineyard growing in impossible looking soil were interesting to those of us who had not been here before.

Riverside is 60 miles from Los Angeles so it took us about two hours to reach here. At the pretty depot, Editor Gabbert and a number of Chamber of Commerce men wearing badges greeted the Governor and his flock and escorted us to the Mission Inn. The garden-court, with its almost tropical verdure, charms you straightway and once in the hotel it is impossible to describe the thrill the atmosphere gives a native Californian. One gets the feeling that here is the California one long has dreamed of—no real place, but a romantic mirage or a setting conjured up from an Arabian Night tale. The old Mission architecture has been carried out and embellished in an artistic fashion, not only the exterior of the Inn, the lobby, court, balconies, towers, etc., but even in the rooms. For instance, the guest room we occupy has the rough hewn beam ceilings, the arch recessed windows and the arched walls in rough plaster finish. A little vine-trailed balcony opens off the room and overlooks the street. On the walls are rare old pictures of religious themes and in a niche the figure of a saint. The bed is a four poster and other furnishings are in keeping with the period which the Inn reflects.

Our first glimpse of the real beauty and novelty of Riverside's great tourist attraction was afforded us when we were served luncheon here yesterday in the Spanish court with its palms, flowers and splashing fountain. Musicians in Spanish costume played on guitars and mandolins and we listened with delight to the strains of "La Golondrina," and at once launched into a boost for Sonoma's Mission Play which it recalled.

We later made a tour of the Inn and discovered that it treasures priceless antiques of the Spanish California period, collected by Frank Miller, whose idea has been responsible for this wonder spot of California. Mexico, Spain, South American countries and old haciendas of the South here have contributed magnificent relics to the museum and furnishings of the Mission Inn. The guide explained that Riverside never had a real old Mission, but through this man Miller's vision and love for California's rich background the city has become a veritable treasure house of relics dating back to the fifteenth century. From the subterranean, arched passageways below, to the tower above Mr. Murphy and I marveled at all we saw and as a restful interim in the afternoon we listened to

fluence. In the car with Mr. Murphy and myself were Editor Mobley and wife of the Santa Rosa Republican, and Editor Martin and wife of Stockton. Our pilot was a Riverside business man of hospitality and good humor, so we had a most pleasant trip.

After leaving the mountain, from where we viewed the country and the orange groves for miles around to great advantage, we were driven to the University of California's orange grove experimental station. Here we found a \$100,000 Mission style building devoted to research work in connection with orange and citrus fruit growing, and 400 acres of land upon which various experimental work is in progress. We were addressed by one of the university men who told us that 500 varieties of citrus fruit, the largest collection in the world, occupies a portion of the acreage, while other area is taken up with the successful demonstration of orange crops grown without any fertilizer other than that afforded by the planting of cover crops which have been used to the greatest advantage, eliminating entirely commercial fertilizer. A school similar to that of Davis is desired by the orange interest of this section of California.

From the state orange experimental school, we were driven to the Sherman Institute, an Indian school and U. S. government project where Indian boys and girls are educated. Here Governor Richardson viewed the young braves in uniform and the Indian girls who drilled in neat costumes of white middie and blue skirts. A splendid brass band of Indian students played throughout the maneuvers. The Indians are typical of those we know and they come from several Western states to be educated at the Sherman school. After the drills we were taken into the buildings on the grounds and found the curves to the spot where a bronze plaque has been placed in honor of Father Serra and where a huge cross has been erected to his civilizing influence. (Continued on Page Seven)

Mrs. Gustav Rahm, nee Helayne Volquardsen, and son, who have been visiting at the home of D. Volquardsen, returned to the city this week. The baby weighs 16 pounds and is the pride of the household.

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### EL VERANO NEWS

(Continued from Page Two)

The National Highway Association's convention. While in the Valley Toy inspected the new Schellville-Santa Rosa highway, now under construction here.

The following Sonoma Valley men were sentenced by Federal Judge Kerigan at Sacramento last week: Louis Gummer paid a fine of \$250 for possession of whiskey; Paul Vannucci of Paul's Resort, Verano, was given his choice of \$200 fine or three months in jail, while a fine of \$50 or one month in jail was imposed on Clarence Bent, his bartender.

Conductor Musser of Oakland is relieving Conductor Hildebrand, who has gone East on a six weeks' tour. Musser has been on this run before and is renewing acquaintances with former friends along the line.

Mrs. L. Heinzman and Geo. West of Los Angeles are visiting the Wests here. Mrs. Heinzman is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. West, and George West is a brother of Alec West of El Verano.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nufer of Oakland are on their summer vacation at their cottage on Riverside Drive, and will spend some time here before returning to Oakland.

The El Verano S. P. depot is being painted by a crew of company painters. This is a big improvement to this thriving town and the old station shows up well with its new decorations. All stations on the Santa Rosa branch are to receive a new coat of paint, which looks like business is good with the S. P.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Norrbom of Vallejo are spending several days at the Henry Norrbom home on Riverside Drive.

The opening of Agua Caliente Springs Hotel last Saturday and Sunday was a grand success; many automobile parties coming from the bay city, one party including 50 autos from San Francisco. The program including swimming events, athletic contests and dancing day and night, was greatly enjoyed by all present.

Captain N. P. Larson of Sonoma Vista made a trip to Berkeley 1st Friday on the S. P. Daylight Limited, returning the same evening.

The Valley of the Moon Hotel was endangered by fire Saturday night when a barn took fire and was completely destroyed. The Boyes Springs fire department, assisted by the El Verano volunteer fire department, got the blaze under control and prevented it from spreading to adjoining buildings. As yet it is a mystery how the fire started.

Governor Smith of New York will be the next president of the United States is the prediction of Norman E. Mack, Democratic national committeeman from Buffalo. McAdoo will go into the convention with the most votes on the first ballot, but he is not going to gain strength, Mack declares. All Eastern states are for Smith, and if nominated the writer thinks that California will join in with the majority and send the New York moist candidate into the White House, which will be the death blow to the prohibitionists and their hoodoo law.

Garry Bartoli, assistant fire chief of Sonoma, made a record fire call run to the Schweitzer ranch Monday when a stack of hay broke into flames. The origin of the fire, which destroyed 10 tons of hay, is unknown.

Edward Coates, bookkeeper of the Ford Garage at Sonoma, who resides in Santa Rosa, passed through El Verano Monday morning, accompanied by his sister, enroute to Yosemite Valley, where they will spend a week.

John Ross, a traveling painter stationed at Schellville, ran amuck between that station and El Verano on Saturday when he obtained a supply of bad hooch. People along the line, fearing for his safety, rang up Deputy Sheriff Joe Ryan, who took the man to Sonoma and put him in the city calaboose to cool off. The next morning, upon his promise to return to camp, he was guided out of town by the officer and allowed to go free. At noon he again arrived in town, as drunk as Billy Bedam, and disappearing in the wilds of El Verano. Late Sunday evening the adventurer made his way toward Sonoma, where he entered the home of Mr. States.

The officer was again called, and finding it was his guest of the night before, once more stuck him in the jug and Monday morning in Judge Small's court he was fined \$15, upon payment of which he was released and joined his fellow workmen at Schellville, declaring he was considerably worked up after his experiences.

### EDITOR WRITES FROM SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

(Continued from Page Six)

ed by Uncle Sam for the Sunday evening mess. The superintendent called his charges to order and introduced to them Governor Richardson who gave a nice friendly talk, concluding with the assurance that if anything went wrong at the Indian school they could write to him and he would try to straighten their troubles out. He accepted a plate of beans and joined the boys and girls at supper, while our gifted vocalist-editor, Earl Clement, sang "I Love You, California" which registered a great hit with the government charges, big and little. We left the Indian school pleased and delighted that something worth while is being done for the descendants of the original settlers of this great land, where civilization has all but crowded them out.

At 6 o'clock we were again at the Mission Inn and had the evening meal out of doors in the cool patio, our company tonight being Editor Samuel Merk and wife of Burlingame. Mr. Merk, former teacher at Locust Grove School in Sonoma Valley, is now a member of the State Board of Education.

At 8 p. m., a party of the newspaper folks including ourselves, went to the Presbyterian church to hear Editor Olmstead of Petaluma talk on the problems of the State Board of Prison Directors, of which he is one. The talk proved most interesting to the congregation and also the press.

It is now 10 o'clock and plans are in the making for more sight seeing tomorrow.

So adios,

C. G. MURPHY.

Riverside, Cal., May 19, 1924.

We saw more of the city of Riverside Monday when all the business houses were opened up and schools in session. The city is having a decided building boom and the greatest thing to us is the construction in progress for a \$300,000 municipal, or rather, community hospital. It has been financed by private subscription and pledges. Interurban electrical service and the auto busses between here and Los Angeles make Riverside a busy city.

At 10 o'clock Monday we took the electric for Redlands, where, we were met with automobiles by the Chamber of Commerce of that famous orange city. We saw many lovely homes surrounded by lawns and tropical gardens, the big college (a Baptist institution) and Smiley Heights, a private estate encircling and crowning a mountain site above Redlands. It is named or a man named Smiley, who acquired and beautified it. After the drive, the Press was escorted

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to the Casa Loma Hotel where we enjoyed a luncheon, addressed by the mayor, the governor, president of the Board of Supervisors and secretary of the Chamber of Commerce of Redlands. Mayor Dunbar of Santa Rosa also spoke and again got in some good boosts for Santa Rosa and Sonoma county. (Dunbar is getting quite eloquent since he has affixed the title of "mayor" to his name.) The boys' glee club from the Redlands University rendered a number of splendid selections. The return trip was pleasant and the evening restfully spent around our hotel, with bridge and mah jongg after dinner. By the way, Governor Richardson is quite a mah jongg enthusiast and was playing last evening with Helen Lutgens and other friends and members of his party.

Today, Tuesday, we are going to Riverside's municipal park and swimming pool for a picnic lunch and tonight one of the Riverside newspapers will give the association a theatre party. This will be our last complete day at the Mission Inn, whose restful beauty we leave with keen regret.

My next letter will tell of our journey through Orange county and of Long Beach, where we are to complete the Press Association outing.

(Continued Next Week)

C. C. Champlin is raising a few hundred White Holland turkeys this year as a side line. He is hatching in two of the Kitchen incubators and reports good success. The poulters are mothered by turkey hens and Rhode Island Reds. Bread and milk is the diet from the first day—stale bread and sour milk. No poulters have died from indigestion. Most turkey raisers use boiled eggs, oat meal, etc., to give their poulters a start, but Mr. Champlin finds that the straight bread and milk diet fills the bill, with satisfaction to the turkey and much less work to himself.

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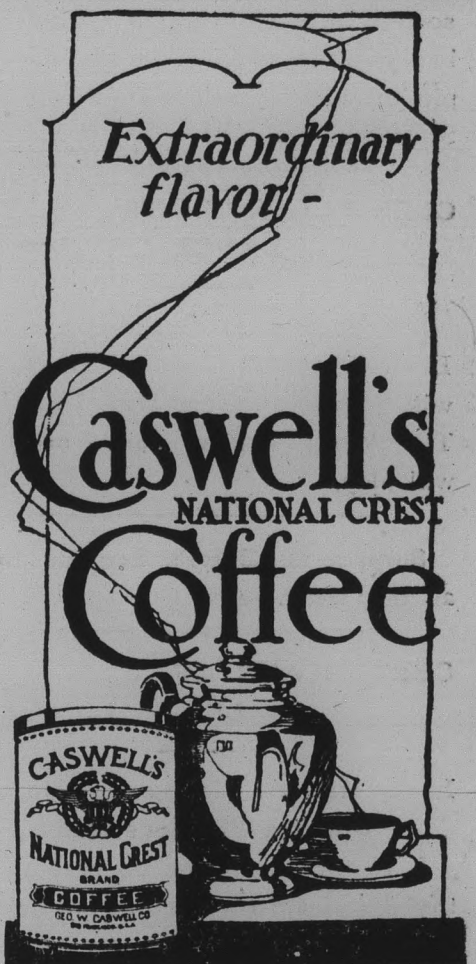
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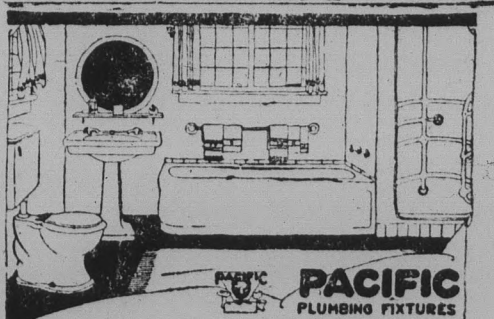
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JOSEPH L. SMALL,

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## NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of E. T. MILLS, Deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned executor of the estate of E. T. MILLS, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased to file them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, or to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said executor at the law office of Frank Sprague in Sonoma, Sonoma County, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of Sonoma, State of California.

JOHN F. BYRNE,

Executor of the Estate of E. T. Mills, Deceased.

Dated at Sonoma, California, May 13, 1924.

FRANK SPRAGUE,

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## ANN ISADOR CHANGES PLANS

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## NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of LYDIA ESTHER HIMES Deceased

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the estate of Lydia Esther Himes, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to file them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, or to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator at the office of A. R. Grinstead, attorney at law, in Sonoma, Sonoma County, California, the same being designated as the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of Sonoma, State of California.

ROBERT W. HIMES,

Administrator of the Estate of Lydia Esther Himes, Deceased.

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The benefit card party given by the library trustees at the Woman's Club house on Tuesday evening was largely attended and netted \$54.15, which will be used to purchase new books. An order for some good summer reading material will be placed at an early date. The Library Board desires to thank the public for its patronage, the Woman's Club for the use of the club house.

SIMMONS IMPROVES  
ICE CREAM PARLOR

L. S. Simmons has added a fine modern Frigidaire, the first of its kind in Sonoma county, to his ice cream equipment. The new process which is a chemical one, does away with ice and assures at all times a temperature sufficient to keep ice cream and soda fountain drinks ice cold. "The ice cream at a uniform temperature is smoother when it comes from the Frigidaire than formerly," says Mr. Simmons. The new plant cost over \$600.

Good Eats all ready, alright, at Batto's Sonoma Store.—adv.

## VINEBURG ITEMS

Our local base ball team, the Vineburg All Stars, won their second game of the season when they brought into camp the fast Carneros Creek True Blue Nine, on the high school diamond in Sonoma. Mike Kiser struck out 13 of the Napa bunch, while Baily and Blue were hit frequently. The score was 14 to 4 in favor of Vineburg. Batteries—Vineburg: Mike Kiser and Lester Tynan; Carneros Creek: Baily and Blue.

Misses Emily Batto and Margaret McDevitt were the guests of friends in San Francisco last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Batto were the guests of friends in San Francisco on last Wednesday.

Four of our boys, well known tennis stars, visited Petaluma on last Friday and played four of Petaluma's best. The Egg City boys lost. Theodore Anthenian, Herschel Hyde, Kenon Gilbert and Pierre Rouquie represented Sonoma Valley.

PRESTWOOD TO TEACH  
AMERICANIZATION

J. F. Prestwood, principal of the Sonoma Grammar School, was given a special secondary certificate for teaching citizenship, by the County Board of Education on Saturday of last week.

## FETTERS ESTATE CONTEST

Action looking toward an early hearing in the litigation started over the \$50,000 estate of Emma Fetters, who died in 1922, leaving valuable resort property, was taken when attorneys for claimant heirs gave formal notice in the superior court that an attempt to quash an order closing probate proceedings in the estate would be made before Judge Rolfe Thompson today, May 31st. The purported heirs of Mrs. Fetters, residing in the East, entered their claims a few weeks ago.

Mrs. D. Hatton will entertain the St. Barbara's Guild June 3rd. There will be services tomorrow at 8 a. m. at Trinity Chapel.

Mrs. Ben Streeter who was operated upon recently at Santa Rosa, is expected home in a few days, which is good news to her husband, children and many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Lambert are the parents of a new baby girl, born on Sunday night. Mr. Lambert acquires a store for each of his children, his third store having been purchased this week.

Jules Willard, pioneer cigar drummer and successor to Willard Brothers, who has been coming to Sonoma for 35 years, was in town Thursday greeting old friends and customers.

Mrs. Anderson, mother of Mrs. Jep Valente, has gone East to visit her daughter in Ohio and expects to remain all summer.

The Flying Needles will meet at the home of Mrs. Fred Helberg on Wednesday, June 4th.

## Poultry Wanted

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HOME DEMONSTRATION  
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Twelve farm centers participated in a conference at Santa Rosa last week with the object of organizing a Women's Home Department of the Farm Bureau. The object is the education, social and physical welfare of country children, community improvement, home beautification and management. Two Sonoma ladies will be selected to represent the local Farm Center. An appropriation of \$1500 for a home demonstration agent is to be sought from the supervisors.

## IN THE SUPERIOR COURT

Of the State of California, In and For the County of Sonoma.

In the matter of the estate of ELLEN MARTIN, sometimes known as Nellie Martin, Deceased.

Probate No. 7847, Dept. No. 2. Notice of Sale of Real Property by Administrators at Private Sale

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, as administrators of the estate of Ellen Martin, sometimes known as Nellie Martin, deceased, will sell on behalf of the estate of said deceased, at private sale, on or after Wednesday, June 4, 1924, to the highest bidder for cash, in lawful money of the United States of America, as a whole, the following described real property:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the County of Sonoma, State of California, and bounded and particularly described as follows:

Lot No. Eighty-Eight (88) as per Map of "The Oaks Park", filed in the office of the County Recorder of Sonoma County, on October 12, 1912, in Book 29 of Maps, page 13, of Sonoma County Records, which lot is also described as lot No. 88 in Oaks Park, Sonoma County, California.

Written bids or offers to purchase said real property will be received at the law offices of O'Gara & DeMartini, rooms 549-550-551 Mills Building, San Francisco, California.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 12th day of May, 1924.

GEORGE W. HESKETH,  
ROBERT E. CASTOR,  
Administrators of the Estate of Ellen Martin, sometimes known as Nellie Martin, Deceased.

O'Gara & DeMartini,  
Attorneys for Administrators,  
Mills Bldg., San Francisco, Calif.  
First publication May 17, 1924.

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of ELIZABETH SCOTTO, also known as E. Scotto, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executrix of the estate of Elizabeth Scotto, also known as E. Scotto, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to file them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, or to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said Executrix at the office of A. R. Grinstead, attorney at law, in Sonoma, County of Sonoma, California, the same being designated as the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of Sonoma, State of California.

MADALINA ROVAI,  
Executrix of the Estate of Elizabeth Scotto, also known as E. Scotto, Deceased.

Dated at Sonoma, California, May 3, 1924.

A. R. GRINSTEAD,  
Attorney for said Estate.  
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